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Report lists R4 vs. R6.

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**EOC Spot Report:** Region 4, Fort Hood Jet Fuel Spill, Texas

## **US Environmental Protection Agency Report as of 1900 EST January 30, 2014**

**Overview:** A faulty overflow valve on a fuel pipeline caused a spill of JP8 (jet fuel) fuel the morning of 1/30/2014. The release, reported to be approximately 350 barrels, occurred on Fort Hood near the flight line of Robert Gray Army Airfield. Some fuel reportedly made it into nearby Reese Creek.

## State, Local and other Federal Agency Actions:

Fort Hood emergency services personnel, Directorate of Emergency Services Hazardous Material teams, and Fort Hoods Directorate of Public Works spill response teams arrived on the scene and were able to contain the spill. Some Bell County residents nearby have been advised to avoid contact and keep livestock from drinking and going in Reese Creek until officials have certified the water is safe.

**EPA Action:** A Region 6 OSC and START support are en route to the site and will provide additional information on the situation, likely on the morning of 1/31/14.

Media Interest: High locally

http://www.kxxv.com/story/24590674/residents-asked-to-avoid-bell-county-creek-after-morning-fuel-spill

The HQ EOC will continue to monitor and provide updates as needed.

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